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ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK MARKET SPECIAL REPORT

National Stock Yards, Ill., Jan. 2.—To-Day's Receipts.

Cattle 6000
Hogs 11000
Sheep 2000

CATTLE: The steer market has been very active this week, due to moderate receipts, and a snappy demand with a general advance of 20 to 30c per cwt. in prices, compared with a week ago today.

The desirable kind of butcher cattle also sold very satisfactorily and fully 25 to 50c higher. However, common stuff, such as canners and cutters has shown no improvement the supply being fairly large, yet they are selling readily at the prices.

HOGS: Market opened active and steady at yesterday's prices; top \$16.95. Good many trains late again today. Choice hogs 190 lbs. up \$16.75 to \$16.95; good to choice mixed hogs 160 lbs. up \$16.25 to \$16.65; 120 to 150-lb. pigs, \$15 to \$15.50; 100 to 120-lb. pigs \$14 to \$15; lighter pigs \$12.50 to \$14, and best rough hogs at \$16.

At the close there were a good many late arrivals, and the market was fully 10c lower than the above quotations.

SHEEP: The sheep and lamb market has been brisk this week with a general advance of fully 25c per cwt. Best lambs selling from \$16.75 to \$17.25; medium to good \$16 to \$16.50; fat sheep \$11.25 to \$11.75; choppers \$8.50 to 9, and canners \$6 to 7. Fat aged goats \$6.50 to \$8, and kids \$8.50 to \$11.

NATIONAL LIVE STOCK COMMISSION COMPANY.

Ralph Saxe has returned to Monett from a visit with his mother at Ft. Scott, Kan.

John T. Westbay has returned to Springfield, where he attends Drury college.

The liver loses its activity at times and needs help. **HERBINE** is an effective liver stimulant. It also purifies the bowels, strengthens digestion and restores strength, vigor and cheerful spirits. Price 50c. Sold by Logan D. McKee.—Adv.

Buy Shoes for the whole family at Gulicks. 48tf

APOPLEXY TAKES T. J. SMEDLEY

Dies Suddenly After Retiring for Night. Death Was Unexpected by Family

T. J. Smedley died suddenly at his home after retiring Wednesday night. The cause is supposed to be apoplexy.

Mr. Smedley was able to be out on Wednesday and was apparently as well as usual. He went over to the home of his son, J. H. Smedley to see his grandchild, and then returned home and retired. His wife heard a peculiar sound about 11 o'clock and called her husband but received no reply. On turning on the light she found that he had died.

Mr. Smedley had had several fainting attacks in the last few months but his condition was not known to be serious. In one of the attacks a few weeks ago he fell from a house where he had been doing some carpenter work, and was quite badly bruised.

Owing to the absence of a part of the family, no funeral arrangements have yet been made.

T. J. Smedley was born in 1849. He was married to Mary Ellen Chapman in Belton, Tex., in 1875. Five children were born to them, who are Mrs. W. P. Wright, of Seattle, Wash., Mrs. W. S. Blennerhassett and J. H. Smedley, of Monett, W. E. Smedley, of St. Louis, and Miss Addie Smedley, of Little Rock, Ark. There are five grandchildren.

Mr. Smedley was a member of the Christian church for many years. He was a carpenter by trade. He was a good citizen and his death is generally regretted.

Miss Myrtle Niskern is visiting friends at Purdy.

Mrs. A. B. Dicus and nephew Longford Dicus, are visiting in Webb City for a few days.

Work Gloves and Mitts at Gulicks. 50tf

WALNUT GROVE LYCEUM LEAGUE

The Walnut Grove Lyceum League will hold their next session at Walnut Grove school house on the evening of January 9. The following program will be given:

Recitation—Ruth Withers.
Reading—Mrs. G. D. Fleetwood
Duet—Doy and Brattin Wormington.
Reading—Armond Carlin
Current Events—Editor
Duet—Julia Maud and Johnnie Phillips.
Recitation—Irene Holmes
Debate: Resolved that the United States should consider Germany's peace proposals. Affirmative, Reuben Bounous and Saunders Higgins. Negative, George Mermoud and Willie Malan.

Doyle Burkhardt, who spent a few days furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Burkhardt, returned to the training station at Great Lakes, Ill., Thursday morning. He is in the U. S. Navy and his address is Co. B, 4th regiment, Camp Perry, Great Lakes, Ill.

Roy L. Fruit, of Coffeyville, Kan., was in town between trains, Thursday morning, on his way to Aurora.

John Bertalot has gone to Fort Sill, Ok., to visit Aleck Bertalot a few few days.

Rev. W. A. Todd is conducting a revival meeting at Pineville, Mo.

Miss Lela Vanzandt, of Cassville, visited in Monett, Monday.

Lame back may come from overwork cold settled in the muscles of the back, or from disease. In the two former cases the right remedy is **BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT**. It should be rubbed in thoroughly over the affected part, the relief will be prompt and satisfactory. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Logan D. McKee. Adv.

LONE HILL

Lone Hill school is progressing nicely after a two days' vacation. Ben Clements and family of Monett, were visiting Uncle Wash Pennel, Christmas.

B. W. Lamb has returned home from Picher, for the holidays.

Misses Cora Henley and Ada Smith were visiting Thelma Lamb, Sunday. Bill Cannady was transacting business in Monett Friday.

Will Marbut is driving a new Ford which he purchased in Monett recently.

Thelma and George Lamb motored to Monett Monday where they visited their aunt, Mrs. G. C. Burch.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pennel and family of Hockersville, Okla., were visiting in our neighborhood this week.

Miss Zella Hailey of our neighborhood, was married to Will Edward, Christmas day. After the marriage Mr. and Mrs. Edward departed for their home in Goodman.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Marbut and Mr. Ohan Marbut motored to Aurora, Friday.

Bill Henley has moved on his farm on the McDowell road, just north of Will Marbut's.

We notice that they are hauling lumber and machinery for the new mining plant at McDowell.

We regret to learn of the death of Mr. Marion Hilton, of Jenkins, as he was an old and respected citizen.

Doyle Burkhardt, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Burkhardt, has returned to Camp Perry at the Great Lakes naval training station.

Viga Hall, a Monett boy, who has been stationed at Jefferson Barracks, at St. Louis, has been transferred to Jacksonville, Fla.

Glen Fischer, who has been visiting Mrs. A. B. Dicus, returned to his home at Diresburg, Tenn., Thursday morning.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The short vacation has made but little difference in the character of the work done by the pupils. There have been quite a number of people who have stayed out to enjoy further the season's festivities. A number of these might be termed "school slackers." Let's get rid of the name "slacker."

The midyear examinations will begin Thursday and last the remainder of the week. Students who have maintained an average of 90 or above in scholarship, deportment and attendance are exempted from the examinations. A fair percentage of students have earned their exemptions. We wish to commend those who have succeeded in attaining the high standard in each of the above requirements.

With the removal of the grades from the high school, the students are rapidly adjusting themselves to the new situation and better things are expected from both students and teachers. Each department, the grade and high school, feel themselves greatly benefitted by the recent change.

Friday evening of this week is the time when our debating team will debate against the Anderson team. From the work of our debaters we expect to make Anderson set for herself a high standard if she hopes to win. Theodore Harvey and Myron Dunlap are our men and we expect them to give a good account of themselves. The orchestra will furnish music for entertainment during intermissions.

LYCEUM LEAGUE HOLDS PIE SUPPER

The Walnut Grove Lyceum League held a pie supper at Arnaud school house on Wednesday evening. The proceeds amounted to \$17 which is to be used in purchasing new books for the library. Miss Emma Stebler is teacher.

CAMP FUNSTON.

Well! Well! Here comes some more news from Funston.

First we want to speak a word or so about Johnnie Willis, he seems to be enjoying life fine here of late. He is Chief Mechanic and about all he does is lean on the radiator.

Then here is Murrel Harman, he says if he don't get to come to Monett soon, he is going to get blue and Lord only knows what we'll do with him if he takes the blues.

Sadie Johnston, he is a good natured fellow and has stepped upon the first round of success. He is now in the office as Battery clerk.

We don't know what to say of Jess Fring, but as he is at home, it is naturally supposed that he has said a plenty.

Charley Rogers is getting to be quite a drill master, he had the awkward squad out the other day and instead of giving squads right for a command, he said Squads East, and naturally they went that way, but Charley forgot how to stop them and finally he said, "as you is boys, as you is," and still they didn't stop and he commanded "hey" boys tramp time, but don't go any place.

I suppose you all saw George Edwards, when he was home. Now all he has talked of since he has been back is how much they are going to fine him for not being back on time.

Emery Medlin is supposed to be in or near Monett now on a pass, but we don't really know if he is or not, he has been getting 100 many letters from Verona, Mo., here lately.

Ora Huffman is in fine spirits now, he has got a little toy horn to blow. He got it in the box that was sent from Monett by the lodge. He says it makes him think of when he was a baby boy.

We certainly had a fine time Christmas, and the greatest part of it was due to the Red Cross. We're all tickled to know Monett has so loyally contributed to Red Cross work.

We wonder where Dinnie Moore is since he got discharged, suppose he is in Monett, because there is where most of us would go if we were discharged.

Cpl. Guy Carr, preached at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday night. There was one conversion.

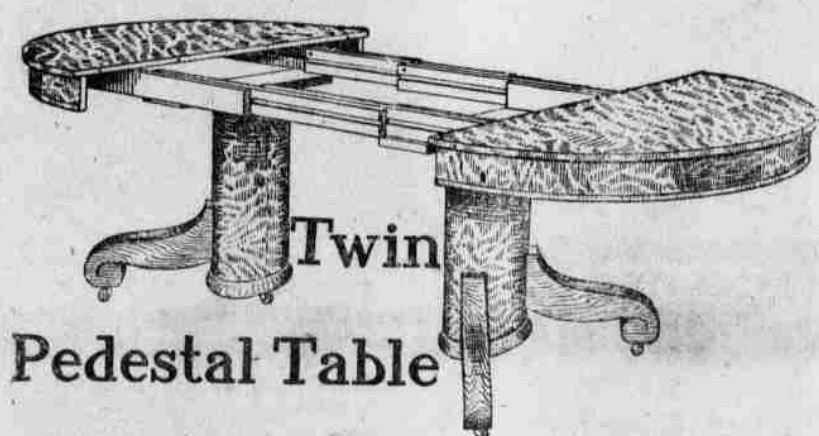
Must close. Will write more next time.

BARRY COUNTY BOYS.

Mrs. Mary E. Rowley and Mrs. M. A. Taunton went to Peirce City the morning on business.

Heartburn, indigestion or distress of the stomach is instantly relieved by **HERBINE**. It forces the badly digested food out of the body and restores tone in the stomach and bowels. Price 50c. Sold by Logan D. McKee.

Harley Wagner, who enlisted in the U. S. Army at Jefferson Barracks, came home on a furlough and became ill with pneumonia. He is unable to go back to camp and his furlough has been extended.



Notice the two Complete Pedestals.

Do You Want a Dining Table?

Then you want to see the Twin Pedestal tables—their beautiful hand-finished surface—see the tilt top feature that makes them so easily handled—see the way the extra leaves lock in the tables as rigid as the top itself—see their rigid construction—and other features that have made the Twin Pedestal the choice of scores of the most discriminating buyers in Monett and vicinity. These tables are shown only by

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-High School Debate- Anderson vs. Monett

High School Auditorium, FRIDAY EVENING, JANUARY 4, 8 O'CLOCK
QUESTION: Resolved, That a compulsory Arbitration Law Should Be Enacted.
Monett has the negative.
Your patronage will be appreciated.
Admission 25 cents.

BANKING IN THE YEAR 1918

After a prosperous year in 1917, this bank enters upon the new year with every promise of an unusually successful year of banking. We regard the success of the Bank as being due to the confidence which the people have in the safety and security of the Bank, which has been proved to everybody by a quarter of a century of safe banking history. The New Year holds out every assurance of success for the Farmers, Merchants and Working People of this part of the state and we trust that the people will realize the fullest measure of prosperity during the year.

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